

Rural Development – OregonBusiness & Cooperative Programs

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B&I LENDERS IN OREGON

Business & Industry (B&I) Guaranteed Loan Program

Eligible B&I Lenders

B&I guaranteed loans can be obtained through <u>any</u> eligible lender who wishes to use the B&I program. Eligible lenders are: federal or state chartered banks, savings & loans, credit unions, farm credit system associations, bank-holding company mortgage companies, and insurance companies.

Finding a B&I Lender

- USDA does not recommend or favor any particular lender. Businesses seeking B&I financing should first contact lenders with whom they have an established banking relationship. Other lenders should also be contacted.
- The Oregon Bankers Association & Independent Community Banks of Oregon has a good list of Oregon lenders on their web site: http://www.oregonbankers.com/general/our_members.htm
- Generally speaking you should direct inquiries to the lender's Government Guaranteed Lending or Small Business Administration (SBA) Department

Active B&I Lenders

The B&I program is growing in Oregon. Because the number of active B&I lenders is increasing all the time, no list will be exhaustive. Here are some Oregon business lenders with B&I guaranteed loans:

Bank of Eastern Oregon http://www.beobank.com/

Citizens Bank http://www.citizensebank.com

Mid-Valley Bank http://www.mvboregon.com/

People's Bank of Commerce http://www.peoplesbankofcommerce.com/

Siuslaw Valley Bank http://www.clicksvb.com/

Umpqua Bank http://www.umpquabank.com

West Coast Bank http://www.wcb.com/